ordered in 1986, which are due for delivery in 1989-1990;

(b) if so, the details of the proposal;

(c) the country from where the new planes are proposed to be purchased; and

(b) the foreign exchange likely to be sent on this deal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) to (d) In addition to the 19 A-320 Airbus Aircraft for which an order was placed in 1986, Indian Airlines has placed a Letter of Intent for 12 A-320 Airbus aircraft with M|s. Airbus Industrie, Fance. Govenment have not taken a final decision on the purchase, or otherwise, of these aircraft.

Traffic Injuries

@3940. SHRIRAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that traffic injuries account for almost half of all unintentional injuries deaths and if so, what corrective steps have been taken in this regard; and

(b) whether it is also a fact that despite the widest, longest and best roads in the Capital, Delhi has one of the highest accident rates?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OFTHE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT : (a) and (b) No information is available on the total number of "Unintentional" injuries|deaths taking place in the country. The rate of road accidents in Delhi compared with other Metrronolitan cities is not high. The accident rate per 1000 vehicles in Metropolitan cities is as under:—

Name of City	1984	1985	1986	1987
Bombay	61.41	59.36	55.23	53.08
Calcutta	27.27	27.51	20.73	19.22
Madras	37.52	23 18	16.63	14.40
Delhi	7.52	7.18	6.55	5.43

Reservation of Export Cargo for Indian Vessels

@@3941. SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to reserve 40 per cent export cargo for Indian vessels;

(b) whether this decision is likely to affect the exports from this country; and

(c) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Report on condition of women prisoners

@@@3942. DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the report regarding condition of women prisoners prepared by Shri Krishna Iyer has been received by Government;

@Previously unstarred question 2377, transferred from the 16th August, 1988.

@@Previously unstarred question 2383, transferred from the 16th August, 1988.

@@@Previously Unstarred Question 3556, transferred from the 23rd August, 1988.